

LOUISIANA MEDICAL CENTER AND HEART HOSPITAL

MEDICINE SERVICES

Dermatology Clinical Privileges

Name:

To be eligible to apply for core privileges in dermatology, the applicant must meet the following qualifications:

- Current certification or active participation in the examination process leading to certification in dermatology by the American Board of Dermatology or the American Osteopathic Board of Dermatology.

And

- Documentation of the provision of inpatient or outpatient care to at least 12 patients as the attending physician (or senior resident) during the past 12 months or demonstrate successful participation in a hospital-affiliated formalized residency or special clinical fellowship.
- New applicants are required to provide documentation of the number and types of hospital cases during the past 24 months. Applicants have the burden of producing information deemed adequate by the hospital for a proper evaluation of current competence, and other qualifications and for resolving any doubts.

Dermatology Core Privileges:

- Requested** Admit, evaluate, diagnose, order and manage restraints, treat and provide consultation to patients of all ages except as specifically excluded from practice, with benign and malignant disorders of the integumentary system (epidermis, dermis, subcutaneous tissue, hair, nails, mouth, external genitalia and cutaneous glands) as well as sexually transmitted diseases. Privileges include but are not limited History and physical examinations, diagnosis and treatment of skin cancers, melanomas, moles, and other tumors of the skin, the management of contact dermatitis and other allergic and nonallergic skin disorders, and management of cosmetic disorders of the skin such as hair loss and scars and the skin changes associated with aging, including consultation and the performance of the following procedures:
- Simple excision and repair
 - Skin and nail biopsy
 - Scalp surgery
 - Sclerotherapy
 - Electrosurgery
 - Collagen injections
 - Patch tests

- Requested** Consulting only; no admitting privileges.

Additional non-core or special procedures/techniques:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

To be eligible to apply for a special procedure listed above, the applicant must demonstrate successful completion of an approved, recognized course when such exists, or acceptable supervised training in residency, fellowship or other acceptable experience, and provide documentation of competence in performing that procedure consistent with the criteria set forth in medical staff policies governing the exercise of specific privileges.

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Acknowledgement of practitioner:

I have requested only those privileges for which by education, training, current experience and demonstrated performance I am qualified to perform and for which I wish to exercise at Louisiana Medical Center and Heart Hospital, and I understand that

(a) in exercising any clinical privileges granted, I am constrained by hospital and medical staff policies and rules applicable generally and any applicable to the particular situation.

(b) any restriction on the clinical privileges granted to me is waived in an emergency situation and in such situation my actions are governed by the applicable section of the medical staff bylaws or related documents.

(c) I am attesting to having completed/performed the number of procedures as required by the privileges I have requested and that if requested, I have the burden of producing information deemed adequate by the Hospital for a proper evaluation of current competence, other qualifications, etc.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Department Chief's Recommendation:

I have reviewed the requested clinical privileges and supporting documentation for the above-named applicant and make the following recommendation(s):

<input type="checkbox"/> Recommend all requested privileges
<input type="checkbox"/> Recommend all requested privileges with the following conditions/modifications:
<input type="checkbox"/> Do not recommend the following requested privileges:





Privilege	Condition/Modification/Explanation
1.	
2.	
3.	
Notes:	

Department Chief Signature

Date

Dear Physician:

Every physician seeking appointment/reappointment/advancement to Louisiana Heart Hospital & Medical Center is required to obtain annually 20 hours of AMA PRA Category 1 credit unless exempted. Physicians falling within any of the following categories are exempt from the 20 hour AMA PRA Category 1 requirement.

-  Initially licensed less than 1 year on the basis of examination;
-  Engaged in military service longer than one year's duration outside of Louisiana;
-  Certified or recertified within the past year by a member board of the American Board of Medical Specialties;
-  Currently in a residency training or fellowship.

Please submit copies of your CMEs that you have completed for the past two years.

Thank you,

Medical Staff Coordinator,
Louisiana Medical Center and Heart Hospital